from private insurers that do not participate in the NFIP.

- At a minimum, flood insurance purchased must cover *the lesser of:*
- (1) the outstanding principal balance of the loan; or
- (2) the maximum amount of coverage allowed for the type of property under the NFIP.

Flood insurance coverage under the NFIP is limited to the overall value of the property securing the loan minus the value of the land on which the property is located.

- Federal disaster relief assistance (usually in the form of a low-interest loan) may be available for damages incurred in excess of your flood insurance if your community's participation in the NFIP is in accordance with NFIP requirements.
- Flood insurance coverage under the NFIP is not available for the property securing the loan because the community in which the property is located does not participate in the NFIP. In addition, if the non-participating community has been identified for at least one year as containing a special flood hazard area, properties located in the community will not be eligible for Federal disaster relief assistance in the event of a Federally-declared flood disaster.

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Subpart A—General Provisions

§23.1 Authority, purpose, and scope.

- (a) *Authority*. A national bank may engage in personal property lease financing transactions pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 24(Seventh) or 12 U.S.C. 24(Tenth).
- (b) *Purpose.* The purpose of this part is to set forth standards for personal property lease financing transactions authorized for national banks.
- (c) *Scope.* This part applies to the acquisition of personal property by a national bank for the purpose of, or in connection with, the leasing of that property.

§23.2 Definitions.

- (a) Affiliate means an affiliate as described in §23.6.
 - (b) Capital and surplus means:
- (1) A bank's Tier 1 and Tier 2 capital calculated under the OCC's risk-based capital standards set forth in appendix A to 12 CFR part 3 as reported in the bank's Consolidated Report of Condition and Income filed under 12 U.S.C. 161; plus
- (2) The balance of a bank's allowance for loan and lease losses not included in the bank's Tier 2 capital, for purposes of the calculation of risk-based capital described in paragraph (b)(1) of this section, as reported in the bank's Consolidated Report of Condition and Income filed under 12 U.S.C. 161.
- (c) CEBA Lease means a personal property lease authorized under 12 U.S.C. 24(Tenth).
 - (d) Conforming lease means:
- (1) A CEBA Lease that conforms with the requirements of subparts A and B of this part; or
- (2) A Section 24(Seventh) Lease that conforms with the requirements of subparts A and C of this part.
- (e) Full-payout lease means a lease in which the national bank reasonably expects to realize the return of its full investment in the leased property, plus the estimated cost of financing the property over the term of the lease, from:
 - (1) Rentals;
 - (2) Estimated tax benefits; and
- (3) The estimated residual value of the property at the expiration of the lease term.